

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re the Application of:      Shigetaka YOSHIKAWA, *et al.*      Confirmation No. 3140  
Application No:                      10/811,984  
Filed:                                      March 30, 2004  
For:                                        MOUNTING STRUCTURE AND METHOD FOR  
                                                 HEAT ACCUMULATION TANK  
Group Art Unit:                      3632  
Examiner:                                Kimberly T. WOOD

**RESPONSE TO ELECTION/RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT**

**MAIL STOP AMENDMENT**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the Election/Restriction Requirement dated May 13, 2009, the Applicant hereby elects without traverse Group I, claims 1-3, 5-7, 9 and 10, drawn to mounting structure, classified in class 165, subclass 67.

Should there be any questions concerning this matter, the Examiner is invited to contact the Applicant's undersigned attorney.

The Commissioner is authorized to charge any fees or credit any overpayment to the deposit account of Kenyon & Kenyon LLP, Deposit Account No. 11-0600.

Respectfully submitted,

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